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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:	§	
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Tawil et al.	§	Group No.: 2154
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Serial No.: 09/770,571	§	Examiner: Philip C. Lee
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Filed: January 26, 2001	§	
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Invention: System and Method for Host	§	
Based Target Device Masking	§	
Based on Unique Hardware	§	
Addresses	§	

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
(37 C.F.R. 1.114)**

Applicants hereby request continued examination, in accordance with 37 C.F.R.
§ 1.114, for the above-identified application.

This request is being submitted before (i) the abandonment of this application;
(ii) payment of the issue fee; (iii) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for
the Federal Circuit; or (iv) the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. § 145 or 35
U.S.C. § 146.

Included herewith is an Amendment and Remarks to the Office Action mailed

June 16, 2005.

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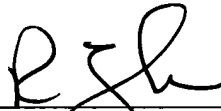
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Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 up to and including October 17, 2005. Applicants note that October 16, 2005 was a Sunday. A fee in the amount of \$120.00 for a one-month extension of time is included.

A check in the amount of \$910.00 is included herewith for the continued examination fee (\$790.00) and the fee for a one-month extension of time (\$120.00). Applicants hereby authorize the Patent and Trademark Office to charge deposit account number 02-0383 for any other charges necessary for the filing of this Request for Continued Examination.

Respectfully submitted,



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